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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION  
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SYSTEM WITH BRAKE

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In response to the Office Action of September 5, 2000,  
Applicant hereby provisionally elects the embodiment of Figures 1  
through 5 but vigorously traverses the restriction requirement  
with respect the other embodiments. Claims 1-4, 8, 11-13, 16,  
18-32, 35, 41 and 42 are readable upon the elected embodiment.  
It is applicants' position that the embodiments are so closely  
related to each other that they should be maintained in the same  
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